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What with our helpe, what with the absent King,
 What with the iniuries of wanton time,
 The seeming sufferances that you had borne,
 And the contrarious windes that helde the King
 So long in the vnluckie *Iris* Warres,
 That all in *England* did repute him dead;
 And from this swarme of faire aduantages,
 You tooke occasion to be quickly wooed,
 To gripe the generall sway into your hand,
 Forgot your oath to vs at *Dancaster*;
 And being fed by vs, you vs'de vs so,
 As that vngentle gull the Cuckowes bird,
 Vseth the Sparrow, did oppresse our nest,
 Grew by our feeding, to so great a bulke,
 That euen our loue durst not come neere your sight
 For feare of swallowing: but with nimble wing
 Wee were inforst for safety sake, to flie
 Out of your sight, and raise this present Head,
 Whereby we stand opposed by such meanes
 As you your selfe haue forg'd against your selfe,
 By vnkind vsage, dangerous countenance,
 And violation of all fayth and troth
 Sworne to vs in your younger enterprise.

King. These thinges indeed, you haue articulate,
 Proclaymed at Market crosses, read in Churches,
 To face the garment of Rebellion,
 With some fine colour that may please the eye.
 Of fickle changelings, and poore discontents,
 Which gape, and rub the Elbow at the newes
 Of hurly burly innouation:
 And neuer yet did Insurrection want
 Such water colours, to impaint his cause;
 Nor moody Beggars, staruing for a time,
 Of pel-mell hauocke and confusion.

Prin. In both your Armies, there is many a soule
 Shall pay full dearly for this encounter.
 If once they ioyne in tryall, tell your Nephew,
 The Prince of *Wales* doth ioyne with all the world

Henry the

In prayse of *Henry Percy*: by my
 This present enterprise set of h
 I doe not thinke a brauer Gentl
 More actiue, more valiant, or m
 More daring, or more bold, is n
 To grace this latter age with N
 For my part, I may speake it to
 I haue a trewant been to Chiu
 And so I heare hee doth accoun
 Yet this before my Fathers Ma
 I am content that he shall take t
 Of his great name and estimati
 And will, to saue the blood on
 Trie fortune with him in single

King. And, *Prince of Wales*, so
 Albeit, considerations infinite
 Doe make against it: No good
 Wee loue our people well; euen
 That are misled vpon your Co
 And will they take the offer of
 Both hee, and they, and you, ye
 Shall be my friend againe, and I
 So tell your Coosen, and bring r
 What he will doe. But if he wil
 Rebuke and dread correction w
 And they shall doe their office.
 We will not now be troubled w
 We offer faire, take it aduisedly.

Prin. It will not be accepted,
 The *Douglas* and the *Hotspur* bo
 Are confident against the worl

King. Hence therefore, euery
 For on their answer will we set
 And God befrend vs, as our cau

Fal. Hal, if thou see me downe
 And bestride me so, tis a point e

Prin. Nothing but a *Colossus* c
 Say thy prayers, and farewell.

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